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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 23rd October 1871.

No. 376. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Wellington, 6th October 1871, No. 143 :—

With reference to your memorandum, dated 4th instant, I have the honour to report that the sum of Rupees 1,200, being the purchase money for a bungalow at Tamarakerry in the Coimbatore District, therein referred to, was not paid in 1870-71, as the G. O., No. 1,017, of 12th April 1871, communicating the sanction of the Government of India to the transfer of the amount in question from the allotment of the Rajahmundry Central Jail, was not received until the beginning of the current official year 1871-72.

2. There are no funds available in the 7th Division under Original Works, Civil Buildings, Provincial, wherefrom I can suggest a transfer to meet the above requirement.

No. 377. Order thereon, 23rd October 1871, No. 2,695.

ACCOUNT, No. 33.

The Governor in Council resolves, with reference to the foregoing letter, to direct that the sum of Rupees 1,200, being the purchase money for the bungalow at Tamarakerry, be provided by transfer from the unappropriated balance of the sum of Rupees 2,623 held at the disposal of Government in G. O., No. 2,389, dated 20th September 1871.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Subg Engrs Office 7th Division
Wellington 6th October 1871

From

Lieutt Colonel W Farewell R.E.
Ag Subg Engineer 7th Division

To,

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Ootacamund.

Sir

With reference to your Memo. dated 4th Instant, I have the honor to report that the sum of Rupees 1200 being the purchase money for a Bungalow at Tamarakara in the Coimbatore District, therein referred to, was not paid in in 1870-71, as the G O No 1017 of 12th April 1871 Communicating the sanction of the Govt. of India to the transfer of the amount in question for the allotment of the Rajamundry Central Jail, was not received until the beginning of the current Official year 1871-72.

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Telegraphic Office Shimonoseki
Telegraph Clerk. 29th September 1871.

To
The Secretary to Government
Hiogo

Sir,

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I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to instruct me how to act in the matter.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Illegible
Telegraph Engineer in Charge

Shimonoseki
29th September 1871

To
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Sir,

With reference to the matter mentioned in the margin, I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to instruct me whether the amount is to be remitted by Draft or Bill.

I have the honor to be
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Telegraph Engineer in Charge

Memo:
—
With reference to the marginally noted communication, I am directed to acquaint you that the amount of Rs. 1200 withdrawn during the past official year, being provided by Treasurer for the purchase money of Kasuga as remittable to Nagasaki in the Consulate Account, has been distributed in the Imperial Treasury Accounts, and that the Treasurer has no funds available to meet the demand.

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29th September 1871

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No 4954.

From
The Acting Engineer
in Chief Division

To
The Secretary to Govt.
Hiogo

Memo
No 143
Patrol 6th
No 19 } October 1871

Reports the causes which the allotment of Rs 1200 being the purchase money for Steamer Kasuga has not been disbursed during 1870-71 & states that there are no funds available in the Engr in Chief Division to meet the demand.

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regulations.

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Telegraph Engineer in Charge

year from savings.

Oct 4th

For Orders.

In February 1870, the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division recommended the purchase of a building at Jamakerry, the construction of which had been commenced by Lieut. R. F. Taylor, while in charge of the Collegal Range of the Coimbatore District, for his own use, but which on his removal to another District he offered Government. The value of the building was estimated

at Rs: 1200 and Col. Walker reported that an additional outlay of Rs: 1800 would suffice to provide accommodation in it for European travellers, for a Sub-Inspector of the P. W. Dept. and for the Police. The Govt. were at the time unable to allot the requisite funds, but in G. O. of the 27th Jan/71, No. 257, they resolved on applying to the Govt. of India for sanction to provide the amount of the purchase money by transfer from Savings. The application was submitted in due course, but sanction was not received until after the official year 1870/71 had expired; and the payment could not therefore, under the rules, be made.

It seems hardly fair that the payment of the amount should any longer be withheld. A sum of Rs: 2623, being part of the unspent balance of the sum disbursed to the Commissioner of the Neilgherries on account of compensation for land taken up for the Kotacamund Water Supply Project was received and held at the disposal of Govt. in G. O. No. 2389 dated 20th Sep/71. Of that sum Rs: 1120 have been appropriated to

Public Works Dept 151

No 2695 of the Madras Government Proceedings

Read the following

From the Supt. Engineer of the 3rd Division, P.W. Dept. No 1443 of 6th October 1911

The Governor in Council resolves with reference to the foregoing letter to direct that the sum of Rs. 1200, being the purchase money for the bungalow at Tamarakeri, be provided by transfer from the unappropriated balance of the sum of Rs. 2623 held at the disposal of Government in

the provision of an escape to the Marlia-mund Reservoir, and there is therefore a balance of Rs: 1503 available under "Miscellaneous Public Improvement" from which, if there be no objection, the Govt. might divert Rs: 1200 for the adjustment of Lieut. Taylor's claim.

13th Oct.

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A.J.V.

J.D.S

Not I do not like the idea of lodging the sum of Rs 1200 in Treasury. Write to all the Collectors.

J.D.S

G. O. No. 2389 dated 5
20th September 1871.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Dy Superintending Engr
& Collector

Dated

Rec.

Encl.

G. O 23 Revd 1871. No. 2695.

Nos. 376 & 377

Lawley Bungalows.

Coimbatore Sd. Authority for the payment of purchase money and of the funds held on the disposal of same.